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**SITREP/DECLARATION ID:**

FEMA-1687-DR-AL TORNADOS and Severe Storms

**OPERATIONAL PERIOD:**

00:01 CST 03/10/2007 to 24:00 CDT on 03/13/2007

**1 SITUATION:**

**A. BACKGROUND:**

Severe weather with increased tornado activity went through the state of Alabama on March 1, 2007. Damage reports from the hardest hit areas include central and southeastern Alabama.

From 01:04 3/1/2007 through 0400 on 3/2/2007 the National Weather Service issued the following through the state:

8-Significant Weather Alerts

42-Severe Thunderstorm Warnings

4- Tornado Watches

74-Tornado Warnings

7-Flash Flood Warnings

**B. CURRENT:**

**Today:** Partly cloudy, with a high near 79. Calm wind becoming south between 5 and 10 mph.

**Tonight:** A 20 percent chance of showers. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 52. South wind around 5 mph becoming calm.

**C. CASUALTIES:**

Current As of: 03/13/2007		
DEAD	HOSPITALIZED	MISSING
10		**

**Confirmed Deaths:** 9 in Coffee; 1 in Wilcox    \*\* No figures available at this time.

**2. SEVERITY OF IMPACT ON LOCAL JURISDICTIONS:**

**A. IMPACT ON INDIVIDUALS:**

**Curfews in Effect:** 18:00 – 08:00 for the affected area in the City of Enterprise (Coffee County).

**B. IMPACT ON BUSINESSES:**

**C. UTILITIES:**

**(1 POTABLE WATER SUPPLIES:**

No reported problems.

**(2 ELECTRIC POWER:**

No reported problems.

**(3 GAS PIPELINES:**

No reported problems.

**(4 COMMUNICATIONS:**

**Century Tel**

Total#: 300,000

Total out: 408

\*350 of the above are in non-restorable residences

**ATT-** *Few customers in the area*

Total Customers: 1,700,000

Total Customers out:

Line lost on Generator:

Customers restored:

**(5 SEWAGE  
TREATMENT:**

No reported problems.

**D. ROAD/TRANSPORTATION STATUS:**

**(1 AIRPORTS:** All airports remain open with no restriction or significant delays.

**(2 RAILWAYS:** Open

**(3 INTERSTATE  
HIGHWAYS:** See attachment 1

**(4 BRIDGES:** No report available

**(5 OTHER: FUEL** No reported shortages at this time

**E. OTHER CRITICAL FACILITIES:**

**(1 MEDICAL  
FACILITIES:** Enterprise Hospital Damaged-still seeing patients

**(2 SCHOOLS:** Major damage at Enterprise High School (classes will resume on 3/14/07 at Ozark Community College).

Structural damage at Hillcrest Elementary in Enterprise  
-is uninhabitable but repairable at this time

**(3 HAZMAT  
FACILITIES:** No report available.

**3. STATUS OF DECLARATION:**

Alabama Disaster Proclamation issued by the Governor on March 1, 2007

On March 3, the President signed FEMA 1687-DR-AL designated Individual Assistance (IA) for Coffee County. A signed request for Public Assistance (PA) Categories A-G requested in Coffee, Wilcox and Henry Counties and IA requested in Wilcox, Henry, Montgomery and Dale Counties was submitted March 5, 2007.

**A. DECLARATION STATUS:**

The Federal-State Agreement was signed March 5, 2007.

On March 6, PA Categories A-G (Coffee, Henry and Wilcox Counties) and IA (Dallas, Henry, Wilcox, Montgomery and Dale Counties) were declared.

**4. STATUS OF STATE OPERATIONS:**

**A. OPERATIONS SECTION:**

(1 **National Guard Activities:** 9 personnel on the ground in Coffee county

(2 **OPERATIONS SUPPORT BRANCH:**

(a **ESF-9** All teams have been demobilized

(b **ESF-14** See E below

(c **ESF-15** See G below

(3 **INFRASTRUCTURE SUPPORT BRANCH:**

(a **PUBLIC ASSISTANCE:** Kick-Off Meeting held on 3/12/07 for the City of Enterprise School Board

Other Kick-Off Meetings being scheduled

(b **ESF-2:** No reported problems

(c **ESF-10** No reported problems

(d **ESF-12:** See utilities above

(4 **HUMAN SERVICES BRANCH:**

(a) **INDIVIDUAL ASSISTANCE:**

Name	Location	TDY	CUM
Mobile DRC #1*	Civic Center 711 Crawford St. Enterprise, AL (Coffee County) 31727 *Closed on 3/10	0	344
Mobile DRC #2	Enterprise Recreation Center 421 East Lee Street Enterprise, AL 36330	44	378
Mobile DRC #3	Pleasant Shade Missionary Baptist Church 1891 Damascus Road Enterprise, AL 36330	17	166
Mobile DRC #4	North Ferry Marina East Bank Park 7433 Hwy 28 West Camden, AL	5	37
Mobile DRC #5	County Shop 1023 County Rd. 53 Abbeville, AL 36310	18	71
Mobile DRC #6	Echo Community Building 8714 E County Road Ozark, AL	18	116
Mobile DRC #7	Volunteer Fire Department County Shop Road Ramer, AL	5	26
Mobile DRC #8	Orville Town Hall 14761 Main Street Orville, AL	11	41
TOTAL		118	1179

Coordinating housing assistance in the affected areas.

(b) **VOLUNTEER AGENCIES:**

No activity to report.

(c) **ESF-6:**

Current As of: 03/13/2007			
Meals served last reporting period	2144	Meals served total**	12272
Shelters Open	0	Sheltered Occupants	0

- \*\*21574 Snacks Served by ARC to date

\*\*These meals and snacks are being served to victims in the community who are not residing at an American Red Cross shelter.

(d) **ESF- 8:** No activity at this time

(d) **ESF-11:** No activity to report.

(e) **DONATIONS:** No report available.

**5. EMERGENCY SERVICES BRANCH:**

(a) **ESF-1:** Normal operations.

(b) **ESF-3** No report at this time.

(c) **ESF-4** No report at this time

(d) **ESF-13**  
**AL DPS:**  
Normal operations.

**Forestry:**  
No Activity to Report

**B. LOGISTICS SECTION**

**TOTAL ITEMS SHIPPED TO 4 COUNTIES**

3/02/07 – 3/06/07

**ESF-7:**

20 X 50 RRF	40 EACH
12 X 16 TARPS	4150 EACH
20 X 25 TARPS	2785 EACH
20 X 100 RRF	1 EACH

MRE	8868 MEALS
200Z WATER	10,944 EACH
1 GAL WATER	672 EACH

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**C. PLANNING SECTION**

**ESF-5:**

No significant issues.

**D. ADMINISTRATION SECTION:**

Current As of: 03/13/2007			
	State		
NG	9	EMAC	0
Law Enforcement	0	DHR	27
AGI	0	Rural Co-op	0
CERT	0	APCO	0

Other	0		<b>Mutual Aid</b>
AEMA	6	DMORT	0
Forestry	0	USAR	0
DOT	0	Comm	0
ARC	182		
Sal Army	0		
GRAND TOTAL		224	

**E. MITIGATION**

Mitigation participated in PA Kick-Off Meeting for the City of Enterprise School Board on 3/13/07.

**ESF-14:**

**F. FINANCE /  
COMPTROLLER:**

Current As of: 03/13/2007		
Allocations		\$0
Available Commitments	\$0	
Total Available Obligations	\$0	
Expenditures	\$0	
Commitments, Obligations & Expenditures		\$0
Funds Available		\$0

**G. EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

**ESF-15:**

(1 Public Affairs:

(2 Congressional &  
Legislative Affairs:

**H. ENVIRONMENTAL AND  
HISTORICAL  
PRESERVATION:**

Reviewed by:

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Information and Planning Section Chief

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March 13, 2007



Attachment 1 Road Closures

<u>Route</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>Status</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Reason</u>	<u>Division</u>	<u>Last Modified</u>
SR-27	Coffee	Advisory	City of Enterprise, North of the bypass.	Open to traffic but tornado clean up continuing in the area.	7	3/8/2007 5:35 PM
SR88/SR134	Coffee	Advisory	Downtown Enterprise	Tornado clean up continuing. May be closed periodically during daylight hours.	7	3/8/2007 5:35 PM